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Mr. Harold Weisberg
7627 Old Receiver Road
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I am currently teaching a mini course on the JFK Assassination at Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, MD. I have enclosed an outline of my presentation.

I would like to know if you have any materials that would enhance my class and if you would be willing to be interviewed by me on videotape regarding your work and contributions.

If you are interested or have any materials on hand, please write me at the following address:

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Sincerely,

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ELDERHOSTEL COURSE TITLE: THE KENNEDY ASSASSINATION: MYTHS & REALITY

COURSE DESCRIPTION: Through the use of videotapes, slides, and discussion, the events and theories of the Kennedy assassination are explored. A chronological presentation of the past 25 years of research is documented.

COURSE INSTRUCTOR: Grant Leitma, Ph.D.
Associate Professor of Social Sciences

COURSE OUTLINE:

- I. Actual news footage of the assassination. News bulletins as given by Walter Cronkite and Dan Rather on Nov.22,1963 from Dallas, Texas. minutes long
- II. Dallas tour of significant sites related to the assassination. The video contains scenes of Main St., Elm St., Oswald's boarding room house(1026 N.Beckley), Killing of Tippit(Patton & Tenth), Texas Theater(W.Jefferson), Municipal Jail, Dealey Plaza, 6th floor exhibit, and visitor interviews. Nov.24,1989
- III. Plot to Kill JFK- Video produced by Mark Lane. Based upon the book Rush to Judgment. Provides a defense of Oswald and neglected evidence by the Warren Commission. 90 minutes-1966
Content includes the following:
Dallas Police Station
Pariffin Test
Oswald missing from work
Bus driver
Markmanship
Bullet wounds
Eyewitnesses: Bowers
Holland
Dodd
Simmons
Tague
Nix
Price
Newmann family
Brehm
Moorman
Lovelady
Ruby
Lavell
Daniels
Hamilton
Johnson
P.Jones (PI)
Roberts
Reynolds
Hunter
Cody
Howard
Clemens

- IV. Killing of President Kennedy - 1978 - 80 minutes long
A videotape that explores the Cuba-CIA-FBI-Miafi angle to the assassination. The content of this videotape is:
Arrival at Lovefield
Warren Commission
Schweicker investigation
House Assassination Hearings
Single Bullet Theory
Oswald's Past History
CIA-MIAFI Trafficante, Marcello, Roselli
Mexico City
Ruby, Miafi, Hoffa
- V. Who Shot JFK? 1988- 60 minutes- Walter Cronkite narrates a NOVA produced program that covers some new evidence. However, this program tends to support the lone-gunman theory.
Content includes:
Oswald shot by Ruby
Single Bullet Theory
Zapruder Film
Grassy Knoll
David Lifton's Book
- VI. Greg Lowery Interview. Mr. Lowery is the Asst. Director of the Kennedy Assassination Research Center located in the Westend Market Center, Dallas Texas. 1989 - 55 minutes. Topics covered:

Oswald
Miafi-Govt.
Grassy Knoll
Rifle or Rifles?
Umbrella Man & accomplice
Oswald-Ruby relation
Tippit's killing
Marina Oswald's statements
Kennedy Autopsy
- VII. David Lifton's Interview Research Tape
A twenty-three minute videotape that contains interviews with individuals who handled Kennedy's body in Dallas and at Bethesda Naval Hospital on Nov. 22, 1963. Evidence indicates that the body was altered between Dallas and Bethesda.
- VIII. Zapruder Film (pending)
A copy of the actual film taken by Zapruder of the motorcade and the fatal headshot.